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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT APPLICATION

Applicant:	Raoul Donath	Confirmation No.:	1247
Application No.:	10/509,075	Art Unit:	3733
Filed:	September 22, 2004	Examiner:	Nicholas W. Woodall
For:	DEVICE FOR JOINING A LONGITUDINAL SUPPORT WITH A BONE FIXATION MEANS	Attorney Docket:	8932-1004-999

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Hon. Commissioner for Patents
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